

MONUMENT FUND PARTLY RAISED

Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars Subscribed.

ONE FOURTH OF SUM.

The Various Committees in Charge of Matter are Very Active and Feel Much Encouraged.

Five hundred and fifty dollars has been subscribed to date for a monument to the Confederate dead. It is probable that the amount is somewhat larger as it was impossible to obtain a report from all of the committees, though the majority were heard from. This subscription represents about one fourth of the amount the Sons and Daughters intend to raise.

The first subscription list for the monument was started at a picnic held at Langston's church in August and since that time the amount has steadily grown. The committees are endeavoring to see every citizen of the county, realizing that the building of a monument to the gallant fellows who left their homes so cheerfully for the hardships of war in 1860, is a cause to which every man in the county will wish to contribute.

If there are any whom the committees fail to see they are urged to subscribe with any member either of the township or central committees. The Daughters have received much encouragement and feel confident that the monument will not only be erected but that it will be done in the very near future.

The Laurens Lyceum Course.

The first attraction of the Laurens Lyceum Course will be the Temple Male Quartet and Readers which will appear in the Laurens City Opera House Tuesday evening, Oct. 22nd, at 8 o'clock. Press notices represent this attraction to be very fine and those missing such will regret so doing. They have appeared in many of the larger cities and have delighted audiences in all parts of the county.

Six splendid attractions have been arranged by the local management—one to be given each month continuing through March. There will be no reselection of seats whatever as this method has been found very unsatisfactory heretofore. The way to get a choice seat is to go early. Double season tickets \$2.50, single season tickets \$1.00. General admission will be \$0.50 for adults and \$0.35 for children. Those desiring to purchase season tickets will please see Messrs. Anderson and McCuen of the Opera House management or Supt. Dobson of the City School and purchase same at once.

JOHN OSMAN PLEASED LAURENS

The City Opera House Filled to See Three Productions Put on Here.

The Osman Stock Company, under the management of Mr. John Osman held down the boards here last Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, playing to a full house every night. Their opening number was "The Counterfeiters," which was well rendered and a good play. On Friday night "The Gambler's Sweetheart" was rendered. This number was well produced by the company, but the cast was not quite as attractive to the audience as was the first number. But on Saturday night "The Power of the Cross," a melodrama of wonderful depth and moral, was put on and proved to be a good one. When this company appear here again, they will be greeted by a packed house.

Nearly \$12,000 Given Away

This Amount in Premiums and Purses at State Fair this Year.

With scarcely a single exception the race purses to be given at the State Fair this year will be the biggest in the whole South. Some of the big races \$2,400 will be the total amount of purses for these great races this year, and there will probably be a few hundred more added by the time the races start.

Never before in the history of the fair association—over 39 years—have the officials been able to get up such fine races. Some of the best horses on the popular race course will compete at Columbia this season on the Fair race track. The enthusiasm among the owners and trainers in South Carolina for home raised racers is at fever heat already. By the time the judges get ready to call "Go" at the Fair Grounds the excitement will be most intense. Some very fast horses are already scheduled to run during Fair Week and the trotting purses will bring some of the most renowned horses ever seen on a Southern track. Its a case of "money talks" and the purses offered this year have attracted hundreds of the big races from all over the country.

The entries for exhibits this year as recorded are much above the average of previous years. Particular attention seems to be given to the agricultural department. Here will be seen the best cotton and the best corn and experiments for improving stock and all kinds of implements will be demonstrated. It is useless to say what this Fair will be the best in the history of the association when such a large sum is offered for competing exhibitors—over \$5,000 as premiums.

The dates this year are Oct. 28 to Nov. 1, inclusive. And every day will be crowded with pleasure and profit. Football and athletic balls and the famous Midway will be simply marvelous.

See our great line of Skirts, Voile and Panama, \$5, \$6.50 and \$7.50. Also Silk Undershirts in Black and Colors \$5, \$6 and \$7.50. J. E. Minter & Bro.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

THE ADVERTISER is a Laurens county newspaper.

Read announcement of Lyceum course in this issue. Its going to be splendid this season.

Don't forget the Lyceum. The announcement of the attractions is in this issue.

Messrs. A. C. and James Todd will go to Norfolk this week to "take in" the Exposition.

Mr. S. M. Wilkes went to Cheraw Monday for the Stevens-McKay wedding.

Miss Emmie Meng attended the Stevens-McKay wedding at Cheraw this week.

The Laurens cotton market open yesterday morning at 11.40 but steadily decreased, closing at 11.1-8 to 11.1-4.

Messrs. R. V. Irby, J. W. Franklin, Homer Blackwell, Geo. Babb, C. O. Anderson and John Cannon attended the Woodruff fair.

Miss Sadie Sullivan, who recently entered the College for Women at Columbia, has been elected vice president of the freshman class.

Rev. W. E. Callender will lecture at Piedmont Friday night. Mr. Callender has been engaged to lecture at several different points in the State this winter.

There was considerable frost Monday and Tuesday mornings, but owing to the lack of moisture very little damage was the result.

Rev. Robt. Adams and Mr. W. L. Boyd went to Mountville yesterday afternoon for the fall meeting of Enoree Presbytery which convened last night.

Prohibition won out in Asheville, N.C. last Tuesday after an exciting contest. The women and children of Asheville took a hand, going to the polls and singing, praying and serving lunches.

Mr. Roy Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Little, who has been employed in the railroad offices at Anderson for sometime, has returned to Laurens and accepted a place at the Laurens depot as assistant transfer clerk.

Mr. C. C. Featherstone was called to Anderson Sunday by the very serious illness of his father, Col. J. C. C. Featherstone, who suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday morning. Col. Featherstone is more than seventy years of age and it is feared that he cannot recover.

Death of Mr. S. Diamond

Mr. Simon Diamond who was taken to a New York hospital a few weeks ago for treatment, succumbed to the malady from which he suffered on Friday morning. Mrs. Diamond and daughter, Miss Annie Diamond, went to New York several days since and were present when Mr. Diamond passed away.

Mr. Diamond came to Laurens about 15 years ago and engaged in business. By close application and courteous treatment of all he built up a good business, leaving a very comfortable competency. He was about 60 and was respected by all.

COUNTY TEACHERS WILL MEET OCT. 26

Two Important Associations Will be Formally Organized for the Year at This Meeting.

The first meeting of the Laurens County Teacher's Association, session of 1907-'08, will be held in the court house, Saturday Oct. 26th., beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. At this meeting officers will be elected for the ensuing year, and it is earnestly hoped that all teachers in the county will attend this the first meeting. Come whether you have opened school or not, and get the very first inspiration.

The County School Improvement Association will also be reorganized at this meeting; and I believe it's the duty of every rural school teacher to become a member of this good organization which is doing so much to improve schools in the rural districts.

We cannot expect you to attend all the meetings, but we cordially invite you to attend this one, and if we start right, aim right, and keep "pegging" away we'll come out all right, in the end.

Following is the programme:

1. Organization and Election of Officers. Discussions.
2. The Advantages of High Schools as established under recent act of the Legislature.—Prof. W. P. Culbertson and Supt. R. A. Dobson.
3. Drawing in the Public Schools.—Misses Gena Henry and May Putnam.
4. The School Improvement Association of South Carolina.—Miss Bessie Hudgens and Miss Clara Welborn.
5. Organization of the County School Improvement Association.
6. General Business.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. W. NASH,  
Co. Supt. Education.

TAXABLE PROPERTY OF LAURENS.

Total Amount is \$64,548,250, on Which \$115,847.22 in Taxes is Due.

County Auditor Power has turned his books over to the county treasurer and from his compilation the following figures are taken:

No. acres land, 435,524, value \$2,251,225  
Value of buildings 176,785  
Real Estate in towns and cities 757,390  
Value of all personal property 3,362,810

Total \$64,548,250

At 144 mills	\$94,949.63
Polis	4,710.00
Dogs, 2,638 at 50c	1,319.00
26 Special School	12,853.65
S. F. Cross Hill S S	446.92
Sullivan township	
R. R. Bonds	1,432.64
Support R. R. Com.	2.98
Income Tax	132.50

Total \$115,847.22

Increase over last year in amount of taxes, \$13,951.86.

Increase in assessment over last year \$418.00.

Largest amount to be collected in the history of the county.

MR. DEGRAW SPOKE LETTER CARRIERS.

He Predicts Complete State Service in the Near Future—Growth of the System.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct., 10.—Addressing the National Rural Letter Carriers' association in annual convention here today, Assistant Postmaster General P. V. DeGraw reviewed with pride the growth and benefits of the rural delivery system. Fifteen millions of people now enjoy the service and Mr. DeGraw predicts "complete State service" in the near future. He complimented the carriers in having demonstrated their right to be regarded as one of the very foremost class of servants in point of efficiency and good character.

Speaking of organization within the service, Mr. DeGraw said that to receive the sanction of the department such organizations must have for their sole object improvement in the service or be purely fraternal or beneficial in character. "With any other purpose in view," he added, "they are detrimental to the service, to their members and to the public."

Mr. DeGraw quoted President Roosevelt's idea that "the national government should be a model employer; should demand the highest quality of service from its employees and should care for them properly in return."

In concluding he explained to the carriers the basis on which the increased appropriation for carriers' pay had been apportioned and discussed the subject of parcels posts and postal saving banks.

WILL MAKE FINE DISPLAY.

Mr. John W. Watts Preparing for Annual Exhibits at State Fair.

Mr. John D. W. Watts, one of the principal exhibitors of fine cattle, poultry, etc., at the State Fair every year, is very busy preparing for this year's show which opens on the 28th.

He will carry down a fine herd of Ayrshires, a pet of fat 10 month old pigs, several coups of pit game chickens and a rare display of sheep and goats, Marinos, Angoras and Maltese.

He has just received from San Antonio, Texas, four magnificent specimens of Maltese milk goats which he expects to put on exhibition. So far as Mr. Watts knows they are the only Maltese goats in the State and he is very proud of them.

A COTTAGE BURNED.

Mr. Marion Winn Was Burned Out on Sunday.

Sunday afternoon the cottage located on Mills street and occupied by Mr. Marion Winn and family was practically destroyed by fire which was of accidental origin. Among the articles saved from the burning house was the satchel of Mrs. Winn containing \$50. This was secured by cutting away the weatherboarding with an axe, the satchel having been placed behind the washboard for safe keeping by its own during her temporary absence.

The fire department responded promptly and did quick and effective work but the house was doomed before the alarm was turned in. Mr. Winn had a small amount of insurance on his effects, but the house, which was the property of the Crescent Company, was uninsured.

KNITTING MILL SOLD.

M. S. Bailey & Son Buy Cross Hill Concern. Personal Mention.

Cross Hill, Oct. 14. The Knitting and Oil mill here was sold last Thursday in bankruptcy proceedings to M. S. Bailey & Son for five thousands dollars.

Policeman Koon found himself in the midst of what seemed a regular riot Friday night in the negro section of the town. They resisted the officer but with the assistance of Mr. Boazman he landed several in the calaboose. They were before Intendant Witherspoon next morning and the town treasury is replenished seventy-five dollars. They did not want the days.

Misses Lula and Lou Thompson were in Greenwood last week attending the wedding of a relative.

Mr. Hugh Leaman of Clinton was with homefolks here Sunday.

Some one bent on mischief tied a barb wire across the side walk opposite Mr. M. T. Simpson's Friday night. Two gentlemen on bicycle came near receiving serious injuries from it. Twenty five dollars reward is offered for the guilty party with proof to convict.

Misses Kate and Annie Austin were over from Clinton Saturday till Monday.

Rev. J. L. McLin will preach at the Presbyterian Church next Sabbath.

Mr. R. A. Austin will attend the Presbytery at Mountville this week as delegate from the church here.

Mr. Frank Coleman was in town last week visiting relatives.

Mr. Posey Calhoun of Euharlee, Ga. is here on a visit.

The weather is quite cool this A. M. and frost a plenty.

Dress Making Department in connection with our Dress Goods. Miss Amelia Drummond in charge. J. E. Minter & Bro.

We now have in stock a line of Feather Beds with best quality of ticking and feathers, at prices that will make it to your interest to see our line before you buy.

S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co.

Bostonian Shoe for men, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Patent, Box Calf, Gun Metal. J. E. Minter & Bro.

THE GRAVE OF DICEY LANGSTON.

Heroine of the Revolutionary War Who has Descendants in Laurens.

On next Thursday near old Enoree church about two miles from Traveler's Rest, the Nathaniel Greene chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hold a celebration in honor of Dickey Langston, a heroine of the Revolutionary war. The exercises will be presided over by Mr. R. Mays Cleveland and there will be an oration by former Senator Alvin H. Dean. At the conclusion of the exercises a marker will be placed on her grave.

Dickey Langston was one of the great number who though unable to fight in the battles, aided those who did fight—their husbands, brothers and fathers. It is said that once she saved her father from death at the hands of a Tory by throwing herself between the two when the latter was fixing to kill the former. Another incident in the history of her life is the saving of a camp of American soldiers from almost sure death. In some way she learned that the Tories were advancing upon the camp and in order to warn them of the approach of the Tories she was forced to swim across the river.

Dickey Langston has many descendants living in this and Laurens counties. The Power, Clark, Altom, Griffin and Love families are among her descendants. A man by the name of John Bates married one of Dickey Langston's daughters and they had twenty-seven children. It is expected that there will be a large crowd at the celebration at old Enoree church next Thursday and the exercises will be very interesting. There will be quite a number to go up from this city. The remains of the heroine are interred in the graveyard of this church. The appropriate markers which will be placed on the grave will be furnished by the Nathaniel Greene chapter of the Daughters of the Revolution.—Greenville News, Oct. 13.

DR. ADAMS RESIGNATION.

Committee of ten Selected to Secure and Recommend his Successor.

A congregational meeting was held after service at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at which Rev. Doctor Adams formally tendered his resignation as pastor of the church. Although it has been known for several weeks that Dr. Adams had accepted the presidency of the Presbyterian College of South Carolina and would begin his work as president of the College the first of November, his resignation was accepted with deep regret by the congregation to whom he had faithfully and lovingly ministered for twelve years.

After the resignation had been submitted and accepted, a committee of ten gentlemen was appointed, with Col. H. Y. Simpson as chairman, to select a suitable pastor and recommend him to the congregation for a call.

Game Warden Watts.

Mr. John D. W. Watts, who was recently appointed game warden for Laurens county by Gov. Ansell, received his commission Monday. In speaking of the importance of the game law Mr. Watts said that while he did not wish to see anyone punished he expected to see it that all violators reported pay the penalty. All recognize in Mr. Watts the right man for this position.

OUR SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE—Farm lands in Laurens county, located near Milton, five miles from railroad. Apply to K. K. Vance, care of Southern Cotton Oil Company, Columbia, S. C. 11-41

FOR RENT—Two horse farm, close to school and church, good dwelling and outbuildings; good cotton land. Prefer renting but would work shares. John A. Madden, R. F. D. 4, Laurens, S. C.

LOST—Tuesday afternoon Ladies small silver open face watch, small leather chaine chain with buckle on it. Was lost between the office of J. Y. Garlington and the Post Office, or between the Post Office and Nash's Hwd. store. A suitable reward will be paid if left at this office. 11-41

SWEET POTATOES—For sale. The famous Georgia Buck variety; 75 cents per bushel at my office. A. R. Blakely.

BAGGING AND TIES—I have a car load bought before my ginney was burned. Will sell at cost. Come quick. W. L. Gray, Laurens, S. C. 11-21

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FINE SEED OATS—Go to J. H. Sullivan's and buy home raised Red Rust Proof Oats to sow.

FLOUR—If you like good bread, try our celebrated Henry Clay Flour. The finest Patent made. J. H. Sullivan.

FOR SALE—C. C. Brown Leghorns, Barred Plymouth Rocks and Black Minorcas. Any age. Write me your wants and I will please you. R. A. Boyce, Cross Hill, S. C. 9-41

FOR SALE—Two fine plantations for parties wishing a home near Cole Point, S. C. Apply to J. B. Wharton, Greenwood, S. C. 8-31

FOR SALE—My house and lot on Main Street, or the Pitts property on Main Street. Apply within the next thirty days to C. C. Featherstone, Laurens, S. C. 10-41

FOR SALE—The Vance place, near Renno, S. C., containing 510 acres, P. G. Ellesor, Agt., Newberry, S. C. 1114

WANTED—to buy a young cow, fresh in milk. Apply at this office.

FOR RENT—One two horse farm with four room house and one-half miles from Mountville. For sale, two young, medium sized mules. Apply to Mrs. Lula Dendy, Mountville, S. C.

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THE ECHOES OF EDEN.

Messrs. Brooks Brothers Operate a Fine Ginney. Other Items.

Eden, Oct. 10.—As all are aware picking cotton is the order of the day now. In this section it is being picked out rapidly too, and ginned as fast as possible. We have a ginney located here which is run by Brooks Brothers. They are giving entire satisfaction and cotton is hauled to them eight miles distant.

As yet we have heard of only one champion cotton picker this season, a young lady living near Rabun Creek town and will give the amount next time. This young lady referred to does not have to pick cotton, either, because her father is well off. To show how independent he is, the fact may be mentioned that he has just had three bales of cotton ginned of last year's crop, and he has other old cotton in bale under the shed at home.

We all know how pleasant it is to have girls in the home; in fact it is very lonely without them. I used to have them and they were sweet too, but my girls have all become boys at present, and Mrs. "Slick" says they are a heap of trouble and "Slick" thinks so too, sometimes.

Mr. L. H. Roper and sister have just returned from Pickens and Anderson counties where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Editor, please help me out. The woods will soon be full of candidates, and methinks I will be in the woods too. I will help to keep the leaves out of the way.

"SLICK."

SAD DEATH CLINTON.

Mrs. Dr. Bailey Succumbs to Blood Poisoning. Local and Personal.

Clinton, Oct. 15.—A sad event of the past week was the death of Mrs. Julia McNeill Bailey, wife of Dr. T. L. W. Bailey, which occurred Thursday night. On Thursday Mrs. Bailey had a dental operation which resulted in blood poisoning and occasioned her death in a week. Mrs. Bailey was much loved by many friends and the entire community sympathized with the bereaved husband. Three small children are left motherless. The funeral was held in the Baptist church Friday afternoon at four o'clock, the Rev. C. Lewis Fowler conducting the service. The interment was in the Presbyterian cemetery here.

Mr. J. W. Copeland, Jr., was called to Statesville, N. C. Saturday by news of the critical illness of his mother.

The Rev. J. L. McLin of Gray Court is making arrangements to move with his family to Clinton. He is pastor of Friendship and Rocky Springs churches and finds this a convenient central point for a residence.

A gentleman on the street the other day made the remark that twenty families would move to Clinton between now and Christmas if they could get houses.

The house of the late Mrs. S. B. Vance is now occupied by Mr. Billy Bell and family.

Mr. D. T. Copeland has moved into the house on the corner of Main and Church streets, known as the Owens place.

Mr. J. Groves Colbert and the corps of graded school teachers have set to work to build up a good school library and beautify the school rooms with fresh paint and good pictures. A movement is on foot to establish a high school here under the new law. It will be a great thing for Clinton if it can be done. With an excellent system of schools at the orphanage, a first-class college, and a well organized public school fitting for the Sophomore class in college this would be indeed an educational stronghold.

There has been less entertaining this fall than for several years. In most homes there are students for whose good order folks willingly sacrifice such pleasures as would distract them.

The past week was very quiet. Miss Sallie Wright entertained the Nations club Thursday morning.

Miss Camille and Genevieve Evans of Newberry visited Miss Clara Young last week.

Mrs. A. V. Martin is visiting in Atlanta.

Miss Margaret Parrott is teaching school in the county.

Master Barney Parrott is quite sick.

Dr. Jacobs and Mr. A. E. Spencer will represent the Clinton church at the meeting of Synod in Anderson.

No advanced prices on Blankets at W. G. Wilson & Co.

Why buy a cheap cooking Stove to make out with when you can get a Bucky that is made of the best quality of iron and so constructed that one will be a saving to you in the amount of wood it will take to run one, and last longer. Sold only by

S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co.

Now is the time and J. E. Minter & Bro.'s is the place to buy your fall outfit.

Reception to Dr. Adams.

The Pastors Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church will give a reception to Doctor Robert Adams and family on Friday the 25th inst. at 7:30 P. M. in Sunday school room of the church. All the attending congregation whether members or not are cordially invited to be present.

Full value for your money always guaranteed at W. G. Wilson & Co.

A great line of Misses Jackets at moderate prices, \$6, \$10 and \$15. J. E. Minter & Bro.

Dr. King's New Life Pills

The best in the world.

DEAL BETWEEN THE FARMERS AND USERS

English Spinners Agree to Buy Cotton Direct From the Producers. Result of the Atlanta Conference.

Atlanta, Oct. 10.—Immediate and practical results of the International Conference of Cotton Growers and Spinners which closed yesterday developed today in a conference held by the executive board of the Farmers' Educational and Cooperative union and H. W. Macalister of Manchester, England, one of the chief experts on spinnable grades of cotton, with the European delegation to the late conference. The object of the conference was to perfect and as speedily as possible to agree upon terms whereby the growers of the union could deal direct with the European consumers. It was stated by the union's officers that already the union had arranged to locate an agent in England; that a central agency had been established in Memphis and that this office will notify the European agency of all cotton ready for sale. Mr. Macalister guaranteed that all cotton offered would be bought. He explained, however, that the cotton offered by the union must conform with the grades sold, and that the baling and compressing must be in accordance with the terms adopted by the conference. This was agreed to.

ABOUT FIRES.

Preparation to Avoid the Usual Number of Fires.

Winter time is approaching and with it will come an increase in the number of fires calling out the fire apparatus. A great many of these alarms are sounded for small blazes caused by carelessness on the part of householders.

Care should be taken to see that every chimney in the house gets a thorough cleaning before the cold weather sets in. Repairs to chimneys when necessary, should be made, as the amount expended now as a preventive of fire will be small as compared with the damage done should a blaze occur after the fireplaces are put in commission.

Faulty chimneys are not the only causes of useless fires; many others may be mentioned. Kindling with kerosene, leaving an oil lamp burning at night unwatched and the careless disposition of matches and allowing rats to get to them.

The following schedule of excellent rules should prove of value to the citizens:

Don't get excited when you discover fire—act quickly and coolly.

Don't place a light where a blown curtain can reach it.

Don't go to bed and leave a kerosene lamp burning.

Don't keep matches where rats or mice can get at them.

Don't place ashes in wooden receptacles.

Don't neglect to watch gas and oil stoves when in use.

Don't use kerosene to kindle fires.

Don't allow flues to become defective.

Don't leave oily rags about.

Don't neglect to ascertain immediately the cause of unusual smoke, or smell of smoke. If it indicates fire telephone a fire station.

Don't delay sending in an alarm when you discover a fire.

Don't hesitate to send in an alarm or telephone to a fire station if you cannot find the cause of unusual smoke in your building.

Don't be without means for extinguishing small fires at any time.

If a fire should start up in your presence, and no water or extinguisher handy, smother it with a blanket, or bed clothing; if these are not to be had, take off your coat and use as above mentioned.

Don't invite fires by neglecting to guard against them and to be prepared for them.—Spartanburg Journal.

NOTES AND FACTS

ALONG LAURENS NO. 3

Fine Crops All Along the Line and Farmers in High Spirits—Number Three All Right.

Of course the farmers are very busy gathering the crop. There has probably never been a better averaged crop of cotton and corn made in the territory covered by No. 3. And the writer must say that he has never met more hospitable people than those residing on this route and its a pleasure to serve generous, free hearted patrons.

Some recent improvements may be noted. Mr. G. R. Milam has about completed a new barn. Mr. E. H. Adair has also made some improvements on his premises, and Mr. W. D. Byrd has recently erected a new cotton house in which he has his ginney installed. Mr. Byrd is one of the leading farmers of the county. In addition to making extraordinary crops every year he raises cattle and hogs with profit. He has about 30 head of hogs on hand now and milks 14 cows. He ships his butter to Columbia where he receives a fair price. There are three schools located on No. 3. During the summer and fall the patrons of the Copeland school and Bailey High school built new school houses, both of which reflect credit upon the communities in which they are located. Miss Ella Bell Copeland will teach the Copeland school this year. The session of the Bailey school has already opened with Miss Naomi Seawright of Donalds in charge. The other school referred to is Oak Grove, located near Bellview Baptist church. It is also a nice building, two story, the upper room being used for a hall and lodge room by the Woodmen of the World. This school opened for the current term on Monday with Miss Elizabeth Farris of Rock Hill as principal.